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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE MOST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Argument Pro And Con, Low-Rent Plan

The Pahokee City Council at a regular meeting Monday night heard arguments for and against the proposed low-rent housing project which the Pahokee Housing Authority is planning to build in cooperation with the federal government.

Owners of rental property in the Negro section, who form the majority of those trying to block the project, argued at the meeting that the completion of the low-cost housing units would mean government competition with private enterprise. They stated that many of their apartments and rooms in the Negro section are already vacant and for the housing authority to build new, low-rent residential units would be injurious, if not ruinous, to their interests. They compared the tax money which they pay annually to the city on their privately-owned property with what the city would receive from the new units which would be partly exempt from taxation.

Present at the meeting and speaking in favor of the project was a large group of civic leaders, civic club representatives, health officials and vegetable growers. The gist of their arguments was that recent impartial surveys and inspection tours of the Negro section revealed sanitation and living conditions in general in the area are in a deplorable state, constituting a menace to the health of the entire community, and these

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Scout Drive Nets \$620 Pahokee-C. Pt.

Mrs. A. Beverly, chairman of the Boy Scout fund raising campaign, announces that \$620 has been raised in the Pahokee-Canal Point area and that this amount has been forwarded to the Gulfstream Council in West Palm Beach. She wants to take this opportunity to extend sincere thanks to each and every person who contributed to this worthy cause.

Farmers Urged To Sign For Program

All farmers who have not signed up under the 1952 Agriculture Conservation Program should do so before March 15, 1952. Under the new procedure the operator must report what practices he intends to carry out under the 1952 program at the time of signing his work sheet. All farm operators, either owners, share croppers, or tenants are eligible to participate in the program and land operated may be owned or rented.

Prior approval of the county committee must be obtained on clearing land, use of sulphur and digging ditches for surface water control. Planting of oats in the fall of 1951 must be reported not later than April 30, 1952. Performance of other practices must be reported not later than January 15, 1952.

All farmers in the Glades area who are interested in 1952 participation and have not signed up are urged to go to the office in the Sanders Building, before March 15, 1952.

Ladies Night Is Planned By Lions

Canal Point Lions at their dinner meeting Monday night made plans for a ladies night program and dinner to be held in the County Park Community House Monday night, Mar. 17.

It was announced the club will be in charge of the collection of funds from local residents for the maintaining of street lights in the Canal Point area during the coming year.

It was also announced that motion pictures of the 1951 World Series baseball games will be shown on the program at the club's dinner meeting next Monday night.

President Floyd Erickson called upon chairmen of standing committees for reports of club activities through February.

Sweaters Given To Blue Devil Squad

Pahokee Blue Devil football players who received sweaters with letters at a recent assembly period at Pahokee High School were Charles McCurdy, Carney

Wilder, Benny Sims, Bobby Schroder, Lewis Pope, Gordon Hoyle, Buddy Howell, Tommy Sheppard, David McCoy, Jimmy Rozelle, Hal Rosenberg, Tommy Elliott, Colvin Herring, Roy Spooner, Jack Boland, Bill Hutton, Dick Atkins and Robert Goodson. Sweaters were also received by Eugene Buchanan, team manager, and O. G. Ryals and Robert DeLoach, assistant managers, also by the Misses Shirley Watson, Wynell Gillis, Gloria Stuart, Ann Atkins, Loda Williams and Joan Goodson, cheer leaders.

The presentations were made by Coach Dub Kendrick.

Dan McCarty Will Speak In Glades

Dan McCarty, Port Pierce candidate for governor, will swing into the Lake Okechobee Region Saturday for a series of short talks.

His first stop will be at Bryant at 9 a. m. and Canal Point at 9:30 a. m. He will proceed to Pahokee and Nola's Corner at 10 a. m. From there he will go to Belle Glade at 11:15 a. m. and South Bay at 1:15 p. m. He will go on to Lake Harbor at 1:35.

Legion Fair Will Be Open Next Week

The American Legion Fair in Pahokee will open next week and continue throughout the entire week. Many commercial and vegetable displays have been arranged. A midway of attractions has been contracted for. Legion boys promise something interesting and educational during the open hours of the fair.

Florida firms recently received 21 contracts from the Federal Government for the defense effort, William A. Dunlap, of the U. S. Department of Commerce, announced.

Pink Salmon At 10c White Bacon 9c lb., But That Was 1931

The editor of this newspaper had occasion to look through the 1931 file of The Everglades News this week and while doing so came across some interesting prices. Here are some grocery prices in 1931:

Alaska Pink Salmon	10c
10 lbs. Sugar	39c
Picnic Hams	15c
White Bacon	9c
24 lbs. Flour	59c
Maxwell House Coffee	29c
Western Roast, lb.	24c
Creamery Butter	31c
Whole Hams	21c

Another item or two that commanded our attention had to do with lumber. Here are the prices: 2x4, heart pine \$15

2x8, heart pine \$16
Another bargain, or at least it sounds that way today, was the Chevrolet Car for 1932, advertised at \$475, FOB, Flint, Mich.

The Ford Roadster was advertised for \$430, FOB, Detroit.

Here is a classified ad just as it appeared in the paper:

For Sale: Good mule for light work, 50c cash. Mayaca Company, Port Mayaca, Fla.

Another classified ad said: \$100 cash in advance will rent 20 acres custard apple land for six months.

Rardin Aids Church To Clear Land Title

County Commissioner Paul Rardin won unanimous support of his colleagues Monday in his move to have First Baptist Church property on Canal Street in Canal Point returned to the congregation despite the fact that it had reverted to the county for non-payment of taxes on the land before the church was erected.

It seems that taxes on the land purchased for erection of a church building, had not been paid and were inadvertently overlooked in the transaction when the Baptist congregation took over the land. According to law the land was included in the delinquent tax sale and in 1945 foreclosure proceedings reverted the land to the county.

In Monday's action Rardin pointed out to the board that the land has been used for church purposes since the transaction and the board went along with him in his request that "said property be excepted from operation and effect of the final court decree in 1945 foreclosure proceedings."

The property involved is Lot 35 in Block 1, Pioneer Investment Company Subdivision of Canal Point.

Rotary Votes Okeh On Low-Cost Housing

By a unanimous vote at yesterday's meeting the Rotary Club went on record as favoring the low-cost housing project which has been under discussion in Pahokee. The motion was made by Ellsworth Keen and the second to the motion was by John A. Dulany.

Hospital Auxiliary To Purchase Oxygen Tent

Two Qualify For City Clerk, Pahokee

City Clerk Clyde Alley and Former City Clerk W. P. Walker have qualified to run for the office in the forthcoming city election in Pahokee. Mr. Walker qualified several days ago and Mr. Alley qualified this week. They will announce their platforms later.

PTA Members Are Urged To Attend

All members of the Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association are urged to attend the March meeting to be held in the school auditorium Monday, Mar. 3, at 8 p. m. when the Pahokee High School Band will present a concert under the direction of Bandmaster Robert O. Lampi.

Mrs. M. D. Worley of West Palm Beach, president of the PTA Council of Palm Beach County, will be a guest of honor at the meeting and give a report on PTA activities in the County.

Hostesses during the social hour following the meeting will be Mrs. A. R. Harrington, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Leonard Maxson, Mrs. Monroe Pope, Mrs. James R. Roy, Mrs. Angus Sims, Mrs. Wilburn C. Young, Mrs. Hattie Dixon, Mrs. Ralph Maxson and Mrs. Willie Scott.

Honor Ladies At Rotaryann Night

Irvin R. Waite of Miami, Rotary district governor, was guest speaker at the Pahokee Rotary Club's ladies night program and banquet held in the County Park Community House at Canal Point Thursday night of last week, with Rotary Ann's attending as guests of honor. Governor Waite was introduced by Harold Rosenberg, president of the Pahokee Club.

Paul Rardin was chairman in charge of arrangements for the banquet and acted as master of ceremonies. Vocal selections were sung by the Upthegrove Trio, composed of Osceola and Babs Upthegrove and Chandler McIlwain, with M. M. Martin, Jr., at the piano. Robert O. Lampi introduced an instrumental ensemble from his Pahokee High School Band which played several numbers.

Horace Scruggs gave two readings. One was "Howlin' at the Moon" and the other was "They Got Me." He was accompanied by his sister, Carolyn. Horace was one of the big hits of the evening and "brought the house down" with applause.

During the introduction of the guests, special recognition was given to Mrs. L. L. Stuckey and Mrs. W. W. McCurdy, widows of the late L. L. Stuckey and the late W. W. McCurdy, who were prominent members of the Pahokee Club.

The main project for the year of the newly organized Everglades Memorial Hospital Auxiliary will be the purchase of a \$600 oxygen tent for the hospital, it was announced at a meeting of the Auxiliary Tuesday night, with Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, president, presiding.

Welcomed as new members of the Auxiliary at the meeting were Mrs. W. K. Buchanan, representing the Canal Point Methodist Church; Mrs. J. H. Bordeaux, Canal Point Baptist Church; Mrs. C. L. Wilder, St. Mary's Catholic Church; Mrs. J. B. Tripp and Mrs. Earle Pitts, Church of the Nazarene.

Mrs. Armstrong named Mrs. Clyde A. Canipe and Mrs. R. J. Schroder on a committee to draw up a constitution and by-laws for the Auxiliary.

Membership dues were set at \$1 per year and the group decided to declare a "hospital membership week" in the near future during which an intensive drive will be made for at least 600 memberships to the organization. Mrs. Earle Pitts, membership chairman, will be in charge of the membership drive and Mrs. J. H. Bordeaux will have the membership cards printed.

Mrs. Barber, head of the nursing staff at the hospital, was present at the meeting to give to the group a list of the hospital's immediate needs in materials and services. Included in the list was the oxygen tent, one dozen infants shirts for children up to three years old, one dozen gowns for patients, either hospital or regular style, training pinties for infants, two baby cribs for the Negro ward, one high chair, one nursery chair, one play pen, toys of any description, four extra large pots and pans, one large skillet, two extra large cooking kettles, a sink and shelves and cabinets for the Negro nursery and large umbrella shades for parents able to spend some time on the hospital lawn while recuperating from illnesses. Mrs. Barber said used articles in good condition would be just as welcome as new ones. In the line of services, Mrs. Barber said the most immediate need was for some one to answer telephone calls at the hospital from 3 to 9 a. m., the hours when emergency cases often have the entire hospital staff so busy that there is little time for answering phone calls.

Red Cross Drive In C. P. Starts Mar 1st

The annual drive of the American Red Cross in the Canal Point area will start Saturday, Mar. 1, when a group of workers will cover the entire community in a house-to-house canvass for contributions, according to Mrs. Pope Sears, local Red Cross chairman.

The cooperation of all residents is earnestly requested by Mrs. Sears when she or a member of her committee make the call for contributions. She said that the drive will exceed

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News Notes From State Capital

TALLAHASSEE — The closing date of March 15 for qualifications for governor may bring no new entries, and thus the field will be limited to three bona fide candidates. Alto Adams and Dan McCarty of Fort Pierce and Brailly Odham of Sanford. All are busily beating the bushes this week, as the first of the sound wagons swung into operation and ads began to appear in the newspapers. A federal jury convicted Bill Hendrix, Tallahassee Klansman, of sending defamatory matter through the mails. He was sentenced to a year in federal prison on each of three counts, and fined \$750. The fine was promptly paid by a bystander in the court, and Judge Dozier A. DeVane freed Hendrix on parole for two years. The conviction was for a misdemeanor, which does not disqualify Hendrix from making the race for governor.

TALLAHASSEE — Final arguments in the case of Wallace E. Finlay, publisher of the County Record of Blountstown, against Attorney General Richard W. Ervin and others to test freedom of press and of speech were heard before Circuit Judge Ira A. Hutchinson at Panama City. The Florida Press Association spokesman declared that the 1951 political campaign expenditure law had gone far beyond constitutional limits of policing the candidates, and had put a muzzle on the press and the public as well. Attorney General Ervin argued that the law was a reasonable use of the state's police power to end corruption among candidates. An additional 15 days was given to file briefs, and an early decision is expected.

TALLAHASSEE — What Florida schools are doing has become of interest to the United States State Department, which is sending School Superintendent Tom Bailey's annual report to 175 information centers overseas. The booklet, a 50-page illustrated report on school progress in Florida, was reviewed by the State Department staff and recommended for overseas use.

TALLAHASSEE — Governor Fuller Warren apparently has healed the breach between him

and one of his principal supporters, C. V. Griffin of Howey-in-the-hills. The governor started the auction of the first of a housing colony for Griffin this week. Griffin had broken off relations in 1949, later admitted before the Haley committee that he had no proof of what he charged, and subsequently matters appeared to mend between him and the governor.

TALLAHASSEE — The Florida Congress of Parents and Teachers has decided here to build a state headquarters in Orlando, on land donated by the city. With a membership of close to 170,000, the need for a permanent home has long been apparent. Mrs. Edith McBride Cameron is state president.

Juniors Break Even

The Canal Point Junior High basketball team went into high Monday night at the local gym to outclass the Belle Glade Junior High cagers by a score of 47 to 7. Pat Turbeville was high score man for the Canal Point team.

On Thursday night of last week the Canal Point Junior High lads were not quite so hot when they let a Jupiter team defeat them 38 to 31.

Student Council

Members of the Pahokee High School Student Council who plan to attend the district meeting of Student Council officials at the Seacrest School in Delray Beach Saturday include Charles McCurdy, Ann Atkins, Sylvia Wilson, Eleanor Walker, Wiley Howell, Millard Stanley and Jeannine Mock.

Eddie Roy, 4, Has A Birthday Party

Mrs. James R. Roy entertained at her home on Thursday of last week with a luncheon party honoring her son, Eddie, on his fourth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Donald Kepp assisted the hostess with the entertainment. Guests included Sharon Johnson, Nancy Harrington, Cecilia Endfinger, Rickie Parker, Eddie Upthegrove and Billy Roy.

Cinematic Chatter

By Malcolm Millar

Show people who have worked with Dinah Shore agree that the gal from the Deep South is one of the best-liked entertainers in the business. Why? Because she's kind, considerate and congenial. Because she has never forgotten the lesson taught her many years ago by Eddie Cantor. "I was still not too well known," the honey-voiced star recalled, during an interview on the set. "It was during the war, and I had been doing dozens of hospital and army camp appearances every week. Through some sort of mix-up another singer was given credit publicly for many of the appearances I had made. Believe me I was furious and downhearted until Eddie took me aside. "Dinah," he said, "don't ever be jealous of anyone else. Just go the best you can. Have you ever seen a guy who won the 440-yard run turn around to see what the fellow behind him was doing?" Dinah Shore has never forgotten the incident. She feels it's just about the most important single lesson she has ever learned. Perhaps this explains why the singing star of radio, stage and television—or to forget the many delightful pictures she has starred in—is such a popular young lady, not only with those who work with her, but with Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Public. Bing Crosby has copied her honor as king of the movie stars in the annual All-American Screen Poll conducted by Box Office magazine. Incidentally, (and this will burn Hope to a crisp) this is the eighth consecutive year the crooning star has held the crown. See you at the movies—Mal.

Will Make Effort To Pledge Blood

Plans to pass out to local residents 500 donor cards pledging the donation of blood to the local Blood Bank and the Armed Forces were announced at the Tuesday luncheon meeting of the Pahokee Lions Club.

Gil Galbaldon, sight conservation chairman, reported the transportation of five local children to an eyesight specialist for examination for the fitting of glasses.

The club voted to continue its annual presentation of a trophy to the most outstanding linesman in the Pahokee High School football team.

Club members were urged to continue the drive to get all local residents eligible to vote to register for the coming elections in May.

A. J. Gamot was re-instated as a club member.

President Leonard Dobrow called upon standing committee chairmen for their monthly reports.

AA Will Hold Forum

Okeechobee will be given a complete analysis of the workings of Alcoholics Anonymous, the organization that has been instrumental in rehabilitating the lives of more than 150,000 problem drinkers, at a panel discussion to be held at the Methodist church on Thursday evening, March 6, according to an announcement by the Rev. W. C. White, pastor of the church.

The forum, according to Rev. White, will be conducted by a group of persons trained to acquaint the public with the difficulties of persons suffering with alcoholism. The program, simple in operation, has received little publicity and members are sponsoring a series of forums for educational purposes. This will be the first forum of its kind held in South Florida.

Band Will Play At Canal Pt. PTA Meet

The Pahokee high school band will play at the regular monthly meeting of the Canal Point PTA Monday night in the school auditorium. Local members are anxious that a large group of parents be in attendance.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

Interesting Items Taken From The Files Of THE EVERGLADES NEWS

25 YEARS AGO

H. N. Rodenbaugh, vice president of the F. E. C. Railway Co. was a caller to the office of The Everglades News the latter part of last week. He inquired about conditions at the south end of the lake but said he had not decided as to construction beyond Hillsboro canal.

R. W. Bragg, F. E. C. section foreman, is in charge of the work of building a driveway and turn around between the Canal Point depot and express platform. The entrance and exit driveways will be nine feet wide with a loading space of 25 feet. In the center will be planted grass and flowers.

W. H. Willis of Belle Glade reports he had recovered his automobile, which was stolen three weeks ago from a parking space on Clematis avenue, West Palm Beach.

The Pahokee Booth at the county fair scored 800 out of a possible 1000. The booth and contents, prepared by R. J. Jenks, Dr. D. S. Spooner and T. W. Cranford as a committee of the Chamber of Commerce received very favorable comment. Special advertising matter was distributed at the booth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Sharon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nix of West Palm Beach were visitors of Guy Sharon and Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Sunday.

Wise Perry and his son, Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Hogan were callers in Pahokee, Sunday.

J. C. Stapler of Sanford accompanied by G. B. Pope of Plant City came to Pahokee last week to stay until the cropping season is over.

W. E. Everingham of Crystal Springs visited with his sister, Miss H. C. Everingham from Sunday until Wednesday of this week. Mr. Wainslow and Mr. Clute of Crystal Springs came here with Mr. Everingham.

S. A. Barfield is planning to build a two-story building on his lot just north of Pahokee.

Mrs. G. A. Galloway and Mrs. A. Hanson made a business trip to West Palm Beach Saturday.

Mrs. V. P. Smith gave a birthday party Wednesday, February 23 in honor of her daughter, Grace, who was thirteen and drinks were served for refreshments. Those present were: Grace Smith, Alvin Smith, Lois Crosby, Ruth Romer, Marjorie Cochran, Cleo Cone, Park Wilder, Zeba Jones, Hannah York and Hazel Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brubaker of Litchfield, Ill. visited over the week end with Mrs. Brubaker's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Simonson.

Janie Harrel, Thomas, Bennie and Hazel Elliott Motored to Belle Glade Saturday.

W. H. Vann has secured a site from the railroad company for a packing house.

Miss Enice Swicord spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Hanson of Pahokee.

Messrs. Hector and Carel of the Hector Supply Company were out last week from the east coast.

Misses Thelma Thornton and Lois Oliver spent Tuesday in West Palm Beach where they attended the county fair.

Prof and Mrs. H. L. Speer spent the week end in West Palm Beach with Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Mounts.

D. L. Lence made a trip to Tasmania looking after hatching eggs for the big community hatchery. He says W. A. Whitley has one of the best flocks of white leghorns he had ever seen. Mr. Whitley is furnishing 1,000 eggs for the big incubator at a special price that is practically a donation.

Mother Dies

Mr. and Mrs. Dave W. Young were called to Wabasso Sunday by the death of Mrs. Young's mother, Mrs. Bessie Lee Heath, 65, who died suddenly at her home in that city Sunday. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church there Tuesday at 3 p. m., with Rev. C. E. Rogers officiating. Burial was at the Crestlawn Cemetery.

Dan McCarty

Candidate For Governor

WILL SPEAK AT

Canal Point

AT THE LOCKS

Sat., Mar. 1, 9:30 a. m.

Everyone is invited to attend and
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Dan will also Speak at Pahokee At
10 a. m. and At Belle Glade at 11:15

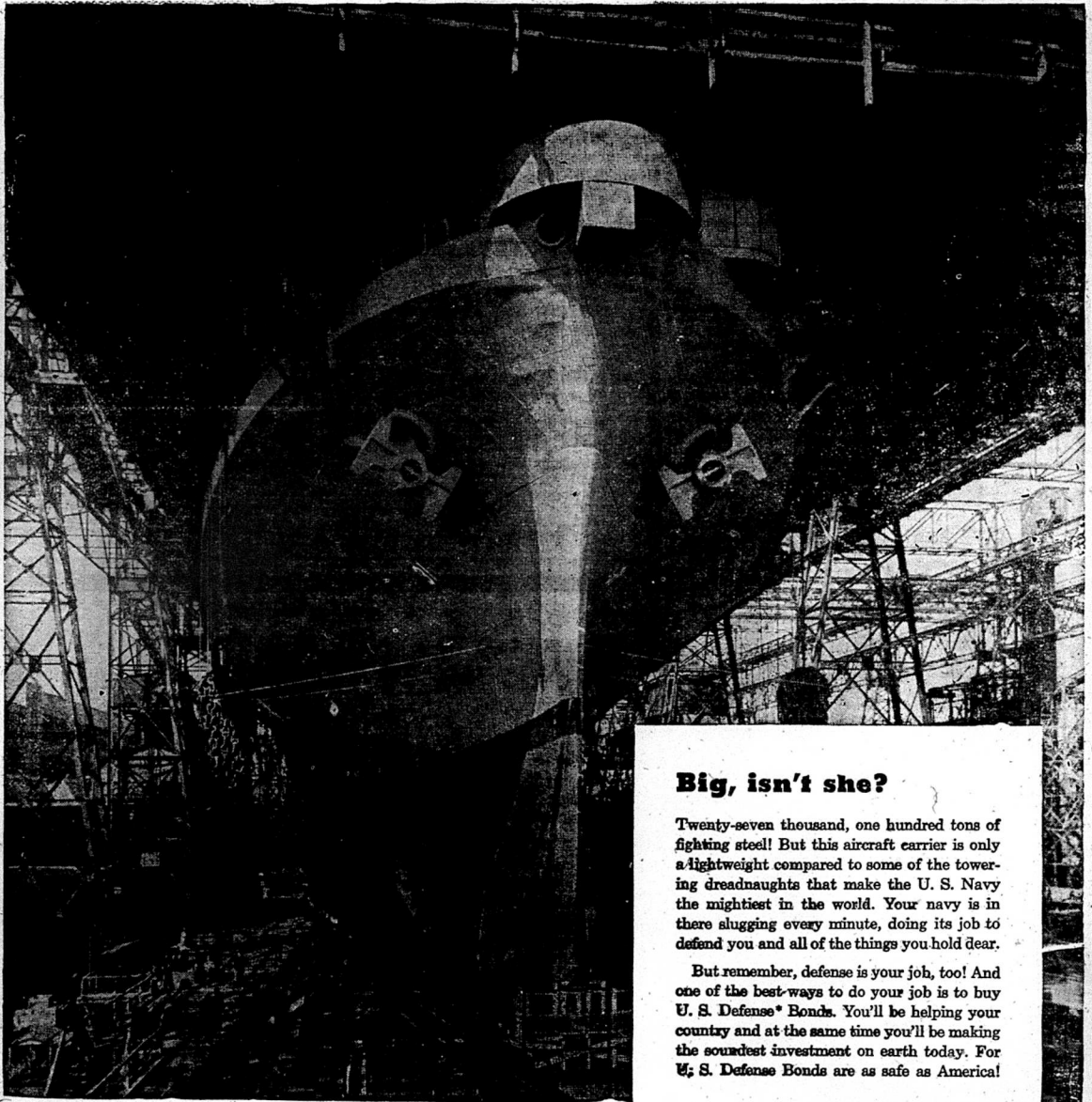
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FLASHER LIGHTS AT 6-MILE BEND

Early installation of flasher signals at Six Mile Bridge was promised Monday by Glades Commissioner Paul Rardin who advised the county commission that the lights were on order with an urgent request that delivery be pushed.

Meantime, Rardin said, three flagmen are guarding approaches to the bridge in an effort to warn approaching motorists of the dangerous span. In addition to flagmen, he said, a total of 30 warning signals, 15 on either side of the bridge, serve as warning to drivers to approach the bridge with caution.

At the request of Commissioner Rardin, the board this week, voted to release the county's claim on a piece of property at Canal Point which is being used as church property. The land had reverted to county ownership for non-payment of back taxes.

The Glades commissioner paved the way for putting county registration books into all county communities within the next few weeks, when he won the support of the board for confirmation of 20 deputy registrars to handle the books while they were away from the court house and out in the county.

Other actions by the commission this week included:

Voting to call for bids for construction of a canning center in West Palm Beach to replace an establishment that was closed with the reactivation of Palm Beach International Airport.

Referred to Commissioner Rardin and County Engineer J. M. Boyd, a request from the City of Belle Glade that a county bridge across the Hillsboro canal which is being replaced by the State Road Department, be turned over to Belle Glade.

Voted to send Ed Seabrook, county mosquito control director, to a state mosquito control meeting to be held in Jacksonville early in March.

Authorized the county attorney to call for bids for the old county barn in West Palm Beach and adjacent properties.

Named Commissioner Lake Lytal to confer with Airforce officials over the possible relocation of Belvedere Road in the county seat.

Melbourne Gets A \$11,406 FP&L Check

MELBOURNE — The Florida Power & Light through its local manager, C. B. Hoskins, Monday presented City Manager Charles R. Stickle with a check for \$11,406.

The money represents 6 per cent of the sales of residential and commercial power in the city limits for the last year, less taxes to the City of Melbourne, and is paid to the City of Melbourne civic improvement board under a revenue-sharing franchise.

(The City of Pahokee in an election a few months ago turned thumbs down on a like plan.)

Dale P. Jacobus, chairman of the board, said the funds will be used toward repaying the original \$25,000 borrowed when the board was first established and for the promotion of civic projects such as the harbor improvements, the Negro athletic field and Wells Park.

An interesting point in the transaction was Hoskins' comment that his company had originally estimated the city would receive \$6,000.

The fact that it was nearly double comes as another reminder of the city's rapid growth.

Collier County was the scene of the first discovery of oil in Florida. One of the last large stands of cypress in the United States is also located there and the county's timber represents one of its most valuable resources.



Richard Mack Asks RRC Re-Election

Richard A. (Dick) Mack, chairman of the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission, has announced he will run to succeed himself in a second four-year term.

Mack was appointed in 1947 to fill the unexpired term of the late W. B. (Babe) Douglass and won election for a full term in 1948 when he opposed a strong field. Mack became chairman in January.

67 Counties Join State Association

For the first time in the 23-year-old history of the State Association of County Commissioners all 67 counties in the state will be represented when the group holds its annual convention at St. Augustine March 6, 7, and 8.

Paul Rardin, Canal Point, Palm Beach County Commissioner and president of the Association, said that during the past year, statewide support for the organization had been pledged by all counties. The Association is recognized as one of the most influential groups in the state.

Last county to come into the fold, Rardin said, was Franklin County, of which Apalachicola is the county seat. Between 300 and 400 persons are expected to be on hand when the convention gets underway at the Ponce de Leon Hotel at St. Augustine.

The president said that several sessions have been set aside for discussion of Florida problems. One of the topics of prime interest to all counties will be the discussion of a state-wide mosquito control organization which has been proposed by Rardin.

The association's committee on mosquito control is expected to make recommendations that all agencies in the state now engaged in individual mosquito control work, join the forces to develop a state-wide group that can effectively carry out mosquito and sandfly control in Florida.

Two sessions during the three day meeting have been set aside for discussion of county problems and another has been designated for reviewing the association's legislative program.

Speakers for the session include Attorney General Richard W. Ervin, B. Elliott, Pahokee, Speaker of the House of Representatives, State Comptroller C. M. Gay and State Road Department Chairman Alfred McKethan.

The association's annual banquet will be held Friday evening at which time, Phil O'Connell, West Palm Beach and State Attorney for the 15th Judicial Circuit will be the principal speaker.

The closing day of the convention has been set aside for hearing committee reports, selection of the 1953 convention site and the election of officers.

Miss Dorothy Chastain, spent several days this week in Miami with relatives and friends.

Awards Are Made Woman's Society

At the Pahokee High School assembly period Friday, a representative of the Curtis Publishing Company presented awards to the Juniors who made outstanding sales records in the annual magazine subscription sales campaign sponsored by the Junior Class. During the campaign the Juniors sold magazine subscription totaling \$965.

For selling subscriptions totaling \$100 or more, trophies were received by Bill Hatton, Jimmy Rozelle, Gene Caruthers, Robert DeLoach, Peggy Lynn Shirley and Marie Sapp. A certificate was presented to Carolyn Scruggs for selling subscriptions totaling more than \$30.

Lynn On New Job

J. H. Lynn is now associated with the Equitable Life Insurance Society and has been assigned to the Glades area where he will solicit business. He will be in the same territory with J. W. Mullis. Mr. Lynn is well and favorably known and his many friends will be glad to know that he is to continue in business in this area.

Stork Shower For Mrs. Floyd Browning

Mrs. B. C. Sims, Mrs. W. N. Veal and Mrs. M. J. Sapp entertained at Mrs. Sapp's home Monday evening with a party and stork shower honoring Mrs. Floyd Browning.

A pink and blue color motif predominated in decorations which included pink sweetheart roses,

blue garden flowers, pink double hibiscus blossoms and fern.

A decorated baby carriage filled with gifts was rolled into the living room by Mrs. Sapp who assisted the honoree with the opening and display.

Games and contests were enjoyed and prizes were won by Mrs. Bill Johnson and Mrs. Nell Hollon. Refreshments were served by the hostesses to more than 20 guests.

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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. H. Sears and Mrs. H. L. Sears plan to leave Sunday for a visit of several days in Alamo, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Poole of Belle Glade announce the birth of a daughter, Deborah Frances, at the Everglades Memorial Hospital, Feb. 24.

University of Florida students who spent the weekend visiting relatives in this area included Glen Boland, Bobby Mackey, David Ramey and Ralph Crews, Pahokee, and Charles Sears, Canal Point.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Guthrie and Mr. and Mrs. L. Guthrie were visitors in Jacksonville and Lulu, Fla., Sunday through Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. James R. Roy had as recent guests Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oliver of Canasraga, N. Y.

Cpl. Gene Miller, USAF, who is stationed at Dobbins Air Field near Marietta, Ga., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A. Miller in Pahokee over the weekend.

Mrs. George A. Schroder has returned to Pahokee after a visit of several weeks with relatives and friends in Pennsylvania.

Ralph Clark and Wilber Echols, USN, who are stationed at the Naval Base in Jacksonville, spent the weekend visiting their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rust of San Juan, Puerto Rico, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connell, in Canal Point. Mrs. Rust plans to spend a month here with her parents while her husband is in Washington, D. C., on business.

Mrs. Letha B. Kepp of Wauchoa arrived here Tuesday for a visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kepp.

Mrs. A. R. Chastain is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital, West Palm Beach, where she is recuperating from surgery performed there on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Peggy deMoys of Lake Worth was the guest Friday of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McIlwain in Pahokee.

Mrs. Mary Tanner has returned to her home in Mountain City, Tenn., after a two weeks' visit with her brother-in-law and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Riddle, in Pahokee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Wroten and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lee Wroten, have returned from Augusta, Ga., where they visited Lee Wroten, who is stationed in the U. S. Air Force there. Enroute they visited Mrs. C. R. Wroten's sister Mrs. May Bailey, in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rogers had as guests Sunday Mrs. Nellie Woods and Charles O'Riardon of Fort Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barry have returned to Panama City after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Meeks in Pahokee.

The executive board of the Canal Point Parent-Teacher Association met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland have returned to their home in Waynesboro, Ga., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Clause, in Pahokee. They were accompanied by Mrs. W. T. Strickland of Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer J. Clause had as guests Monday Dr. and Mrs. Frank Kauffman and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Royers and son, Johnny, of Norwood, Colo.

Mrs. E. M. Wright is substituting for Mrs. Sarah Thomas in the Fifth Grade Room and Mrs. H. L. Speer is substituting for Mrs. Peggy Willis at the Pahokee Elementary School this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Francis C. Thomas have returned to their home in West Chester, Pa., where he is pastor of the First Methodist Church of West Chester, after spending a week in Pahokee where Rev. Thomas assisted Rev. Ralph W. Todd during United Evangelistic Week at the First Methodist Church in Pahokee. During their stay in Pahokee Rev. and Mrs. Thomas were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Anderson. They spent a few days visiting in Miami prior to their return to West Chester.

Earl Chance has returned to the Philadelphia Naval Base, where he is stationed, after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Chance. Mrs. Earl Chance and small son, Michael, remained for an extended visit.

Gerald McRae of Jacksonville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Seegers, Gaudin Harrington and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrington.

Mrs. Bill McClenithan is at her home in Pahokee after spending the week end as a patient at Everglades Memorial hospital. Her condition is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dunnard of Murfreesboro, Tenn., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Lawton Sims in Canal Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kennedy had as guests his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robbins of Bath, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Brambl had as recent guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Browder of Selma, Tenn.

Mrs. George Kingsley will be hostess to members of the Canal Point Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service at a luncheon at her home Tuesday, Mar. 4. The luncheon will be followed by the regular monthly meeting of the society, with Mrs. Earl Maxson, president, presiding.

Miss Cranford Weds Albert Overholzer

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess M. Elliott on Canal Point Road was the scene Wednesday, Feb. 20, at 6 p. m. of the wedding of Miss Audrey Carol Cranford, daughter of Mrs. Bessie Cranford of Pahokee, and Albert Graham Overholzer of Belle Glade.

The couple repeated the vows for the double ring ceremony after the Rev. Ralph Hughes of Belle Glade as they stood in front of the living room fireplace which was flanked on either side by Easter lilies and palms, with seven-branched Candelabra on the mantelpiece.

John A. Dulany, vocalist, sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied by the piano by Miss Rita Faye Hurt.

The bride wore a one-piece, street-length dress of baby blue tissue fabric, matching hat with eyebrow-length veil and matching accessories. Her jewelry ornament was a crystal necklace and her corsage was of white orchids.

Mrs. Gene McDowell, matron of honor and sister of the bride, wore a one-piece, street-length dress of yellow taffeta with black accessories and a blue iris corsage.

Hubert Busbin of Belle Glade was Mr. Overholzer's best man. Pat Elliott lit the tapers in the candelabra.

Mrs. Cranford chose for her daughter's wedding a street-length dress of pink crepe with matching accessories and an orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Elliott home, with Mrs. Elliott acting as hostess. The table, covered with a white satin cloth, was decorated with pink roses and hibiscus flowers flanked by lighted white tapers in silver holders. Mrs. Louise Hodges of Canal Point, aunt of the bride, presided at the punch bowl while Mrs. W. W. Platt of Belle Glade served portions of the wedding cake. Mrs. MacDowell was in charge of the bride's book. Arthur and Tom Hodges of Indian-town, uncles of the bride, were out-of-town guests.

Following a brief honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Overholzer are now welcoming friends at their home in Belle Glade where he is employed in the printing department of the Belle Glade Herald.

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA.

NO. 1
In Re: The Estate of:
MABEL V. SIMMONSON.
Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
All creditors of the estate of Mabel V. Simmonson, deceased, are hereby notified and required to file any claim or demands which they may have against said estate in the office of the County Judge of Palm Beach County, Florida, in the Court House at West Palm Beach, Florida, within eight calendar months from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: Feb. 29, 1952. Each claim or demand must be in writing and must state the place of residence and post-office address of the claimant and must be sworn to by the claimant, his agent, or his attorney, or it will become void according to law.

DATED this 27th day of February, 1952.

Rollo J. Simonson,
Executor of the Estate of
Mabel V. Simmonson, deceased.
Pub: Feb. 29, Mar. 7, 14, 21, 1952
Thadd Whidden
Attorney for Executor
Pahokee, Florida.

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA.

NO. 2
In Re: The Estate of:
WILLARD WYNN MCURDY;
also known as W. W. McCurdy.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS AND CREDITORS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST SAID ESTATE:
You and each of you are hereby notified and required to present any claims and demands which you, or either of you, may have against the estate of Willard Wynne McCurdy, also known as W. W. McCurdy, deceased, late of said County, to the County Judge of Palm Beach County, Florida, at his office, the County House of said County at West Palm Beach, Florida, within eight calendar months from the date of the publication of this notice. Each claim or demand shall be in writing, and shall state the place of residence and post office address of the claimant, and shall be sworn to by the claimant, his agent, or his attorney, and any such claim or demand not so filed shall be void.

Annette McCurdy,
Administratrix of the Estate of Willard Wynne McCurdy, deceased.
Pub: Feb. 29, March 7, 14, 21, 1952.
Thadd Whidden
Attorney for Administratrix
Pahokee, Florida.

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NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, pursuant to the "Fictitious Name Statute," House Bill No. 1175 Chapter No. 20653, Laws of Florida 1941, and House Bill 1102, Chapter 26-760, 1951, amending 885.09(3), will register with the Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for Palm Beach County, Florida, upon receipt of proof of the publication of this notice, the fictitious name, to-wit: CIRCLE S RANCH under which we are engaged in business at Pahokee, Florida, in the County of Palm Beach, State of Florida.

That the parties interested in said business enterprise are R. M. Sanders, Pahokee, Fla., and R. M. Sanders, Pahokee, Fla.
Dated at Pahokee, Palm Beach County, Florida, this 6th day February, 1952. A. D.

CIRCLE S RANCH
R. M. Sanders
R. M. Sanders,
Owners.
Pub: Feb. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1952.

Mrs. Paul Rardin will leave today for Glennville, Ga., where she will spend several days with her mother, Mrs. W. O. Strickland, who has been seriously ill.

Miss Marlene Williams student at a business college in Jacksonville, spent the week end in Canal Point with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams.

CHANCERY NO. 23254

THE STATE OF FLORIDA
TO KATHRYN MARIE JONES, whose residence and address as particularly as is known is P. O. Box 1094, Newbern, North Carolina.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that you appear to the Bill of Complaint for Divorce brought against you by Joseph A. Jones, Plaintiff, and you are hereby required to serve a copy of your answer or other defense upon Thadd Whidden, Attorney for Plaintiff, whose address is P. O. Box 395, Pahokee, Florida, on or before the 10th day of March, 1952, and before or immediately thereafter to file with the Clerk of the above court the original of said answer or said written defense, if any.

Herein fall not on the allegations of said Bill of Complaint will be taken as confessed by you.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at West Palm Beach, Florida, this 31st day of January, A. D. 1952.

J. ALEX ARNETTE
Clerk of Circuit Court,
Palm Beach County, Florida.
(Circuit Court Seal)

By Thadde P. Plant,
Deputy Clerk.
Thadd Whidden
Attorney for Plaintiff
P. O. Box 395
Pahokee, Florida.
Pub: Feb. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1952

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That the party interested in said business enterprise is Harlan H. Sears, Canal Point, Florida.

Dated at Canal Point, Palm Beach County, Florida, this 8th day of February 1952. A. D.

SEARS STANDARD SERVICE STATION
By Harlan H. Sears.

Pub: Feb. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1952.

IN THE COUNTY JUDGE'S COURT, IN AND FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA.

NO. 3
In Re: The Estate of:
O. V. BRALEY,
Deceased.

NOTICE OF FILING PETITION FOR FINAL DISCHARGE OF EXECUTORS
Notice is hereby given that we have filed our final returns as executors of the estate of O. V. Braley, deceased, that we have filed our petition for distribution and for final discharge, and that on March 10, 1952 we will apply to the Honorable Richard W. Robbins, County Judge of Palm Beach County, Florida, for approval of said final returns and for an order of distribution and for final discharge as executors of the will of O. V. Braley, deceased.

The 5th day of February, 1952.
Albert Fremd
O. K. Braley,
Executors.

Thadd Whidden
Attorney for Executors
Pahokee, Florida.
Pub: Feb. 8, 15, 22, 29, 1952.

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Church and CLUB NEWS

Christian Science Group Of Canal Point

"CHRIST JESUS" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon to be read in all Christian Science churches next Sunday. His advent in fulfillment of prophecy, his divine origin, his mighty demonstrations supporting his teachings, and the need for every Christian to follow him, are points that are stressed in the Golden Text is from Isaiah (11: 1). "There shall come forth a rod out of the stem of Jesse, and a Branch shall grow out of his roots."

Bible passages include the following from I John (4: 9), "in this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him."

Correlative selections from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy include: "His consummate example was for the salvation of us all, but only through doing the works which he did and taught others to do" (p. 51).

Canal Point Missionary Baptist

C. J. Smyly, Pastor

MONDAY

Ione Patterson Circle of W. M. U. meets every second Monday of each month, 2:30 p. m.

General W. M. S. meeting every third Monday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Deacons meeting on Monday night before first Wednesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

TUESDAY

Auxiliary Day.

WEDNESDAY

Sunbeams, 2:30 p. m.

G. A. S., 3:30 p. m.

Prayer Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

THURSDAY

Annie Jones Circle of W. M. U. meets first Tuesday of each month, 8:00 p. m.

Guild Has Meet

Members of St. Martha's Guild, Episcopal Church of the Holy Nativity, held their February meeting at the Cross Hotel. Mrs. John Clarence Petrie gave a talk on "The Revival of the Ministry of Healing Within the Church." Mrs. W. A. Cross, Sr., acted as hostess during the social hour which followed the meeting.

Training Union To Have Enlargement Campaign

The Training Union of the Canal Point Baptist Church, Mrs. Charles Maxson director, is having an Enlargement Campaign March 3-7. Every member of the church is involved in this campaign which is concerned with the training in church-membership and in Christian service.

The campaign will consist of strenuous visitation, constant and earnest prayer, and diligent training in classes. The classes will be conducted each evening at 7:45 Monday thru Friday. There will be classes for Adults, Young People, Intermediates, Juniors, and for the Intermediate and Junior Leaders, and Sponsors.

The director for the campaign

will be H. E. Ridenour of Jacksonville, Fla. The teacher will be Rev. Ruben Davis of Trenton, Fla. teaching the Young People: Mrs. Kelly Roberts of Zolfo Springs, teaching the Intermediate and Junior Leaders and Sponsors; Mrs. Clyde Griffiths of Canal Point, teaching the Intermediates; Mrs. Irene Oliver of Bryant, teaching the Juniors; and Mr. Ridenour of Jacksonville teaching the Adults. Mrs. Chas. Maxson is the Training Union Director of the church and Rev. C. J. Smyly is pastor.

All the members of the church are urged to attend and all interested friends are cordially invited.

Church Of God

(Barfield Highway)

Rev. James W. Miller, Pastor

9:45 A. M. Sunday School.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship.

7:00 P. M.—L. W. W. B. (Parsonage).

7:30 P. M. Evening Worship.

7:30 P. M. Tuesday, Prayer Meeting.

7:00 P. M. Friday, Children's Church.

7:30 P. M. Friday, Y. P. E.

The Methodist Church Canal Point, Florida

James R. Roy, Pastor

0:00 A. M.—Sunday School

1:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.

5:30 P. M.—Junior and MYF.

7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.

Jill McIlwain Has Birthday Party

Mrs. E. F. McIlwain entertained at the city park Friday afternoon with an outdoor party and wiener roast honoring her daughter on her eleventh birthday anniversary. Games were enjoyed. Mrs. John Rogers assisted the hostess with the serving of refreshments to approximately 40 guests.

On Friday evening Mrs. McIlwain entertained with a dinner party honoring her son, Chandler McIlwain, on his birthday anniversary.

Pahokee Pastor Wins Foundation Award

The Rev. John Clarence Petrie, vicar of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Nativity, Pahokee, has just been awarded a medal and a cash prize of \$200 for a sermon he preached last July while supplying the pulpit of Holy Trinity Church, West Palm Beach. The donor is Freedoms Foundation, Inc., of Valley Forge, Pa., and the name of the award sermon was, "Freedom Under God."

Father Petrie said that the modern idea of human freedom was of slow growth under the impact of the Christian-Jewish doctrine that man is a child of God. Let that faith perish and freedom will go with it, he insisted. "It is no accident that Hitler made war on religion; just as it is no accident that the Iron Curtain dictators are doing their best to crush religion."

"Day Of Prayer" Will Be Observed By School

The Pahokee High School Senior Class will present a special devotional program in the high school auditorium from 2:30 to 3:30 p. m., this Friday, Feb. 29, which has been decreed by Governor Fuller Warren as "State Day of Prayer."

The Seniors will be assisted by members of the First Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, sponsors of the program in observance of World Day of Prayer.

Charles McCurdy, president of the Student Council, will be in charge of the program and the public is invited to attend.

Copies of the "Call to Prayer" have been distributed to the local hospitals and civic clubs, the prison farm at Belle Glade and the prison camp at Indiantown.

Father Of Local Man Dies In Cairo, Ga.

Robert B. Belcher, age 83, pioneer farmer of Cairo, Georgia and father of B. A. Belcher, passed to his reward at his home near Cairo on February 22. Surviving are his widow, the former Ida Ricks of Cairo, and 7 children and several grandchildren. B. A., next to the oldest of the children, is agronomist in charge of the local Government Sugar Cane Breeding Station, left last Friday afternoon to attend the funeral on Sunday.

The deceased was the son of the late Abram B. and Tabitha Pearce Belcher.

Hear Flower Talk

Members of the Pahokee-Canal Point Garden Club who heard Mrs. Dorothy Biddle's talk on "Color Harmony and Flower Arrangements" at the Belle Glade Country Club Monday were Mrs. Frank Friend, Mrs. C. M. Todd, Mrs. G. C. McLarty, Mrs. E. C. Watson, Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Mrs. H. C. White, Mrs. Ruth Meredith, Mrs. Don Hillier, Mrs. H. M. McIntosh and Mrs. A. Fremd.

Leap Year Dance At Elks Hall

A Leap Year Dance is to be held this Friday, Feb. 29th, from 9:30 to 1:30 in the Elks Lodge Hall. Chairman Holt of the Lodge Activities Committee says he has a good orchestra lined up, and that admission will be \$3.00 per couple. The Lodge voted last week to permit members to bring local guests, provided that such guests accompany the member. Of course, out-of-town guests, and out-of-town Elks are always welcome.

The greatest single invasion of foreign-breds in the history of the American turf is to get underway March 4 at the Gulfstream Park, when Fred B. Loh, master of the River Downs Stock Farms ships 25 Irish colts and fillies to this country for campaigning.



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Temperance Group Holds Meeting

Members of the Pahokee Unit of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, at a meeting at the home of Mrs. W. O. Stamps Monday night, voted to contribute to the Frances Willard Memorial work which has worldwide influence.

The group announced plans to make and fill comfort bags to be sent to the Veterans Hospital in Coral Gables.

For the devotional program Mrs. C. M. Todd gave a talk on "Roses of Sharon." Mrs. Earle Pitts showed two motion pictures, "He Ran a Race" and "Dollars and Cents."

Mrs. James B. Tripp, president, presided at the business session. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Stamps at the conclusion of the meeting.

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FOR SALE: Fryer Rabbits, see J. T. Platt, Canal Point-Pahokee Road.

Grand Opening

Friday, Feb. 29th, 7 p. m.

7th. ANNUAL PALM BEACH COUNTY EXPOSITION

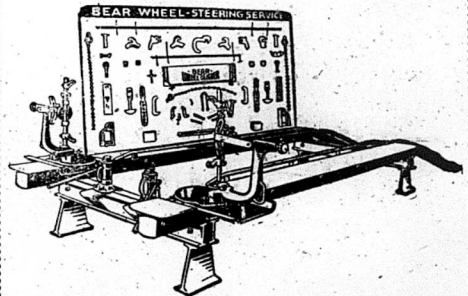
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EVANGELISTIC MISSION IS SUCCESS

The United Evangelistic Mission came to a close last Sunday morning after a week with record attendance. Rev. Raymond W. O. Knowles, the visiting minister from Pratt, Kansas remained to preach in the morning service.

Those who made a decision to join the Canal Point Methodist Church, either by transfer of letter or profession of faith included Mr. and Mrs. William Shackford and Judy Shackford, Mr. John Pope, Mrs. T. M. Yeamans, Theresa Pope, L. P. Turbeville, Mrs. Jeannine Bowen and Selma Bowen.

Hospitality had been provided by Mr. and Mrs. George Kingsley who were hosts to the guest pastor, and entertainment by Mr. and Mrs. George Arceneux, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrington, Mrs. Earl Maxson and Mrs. Joe Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maxson and Mr. and Mrs. Osceola Upthegrove.

The entertainment for the Visitation Evangelism teams was provided by Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hooks, aided by Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Clifford Stuart, Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, and Mrs. W. K. Buchanan. Those who helped with the Visitation were Mrs. Harlan Sears, Mrs. Pope Sears, D. L. Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harrington, J. D. Pope, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Frances Wilson, Bonnie Miller, Mr. and Mrs. William Johnson, Mrs. Clifford Stuart, Mrs. W. K. Buchanan, and Rev. Roy.

The Evangelism Committee of the church was gratified at the results, not only in the new members, but the fine spirit of cooperation within the entire church and the promise of new members in the future. A Membership Training program is to be set up by the pastor, beginning Sunday, March 2nd.

Layman's Sunday will be observed in the Canal Point Methodist Church, Sunday, March 2nd, in the morning service with William Johnson in charge. Those who will take part in the service include Eugene Buchanan, Bonnie Miller, Frances Wilson, N. V. Maxson, D. L. Hooks, the Senior Choir, William Johnson, Gloria Stuart, A. R. Harrington, Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, Gauden Harrington. The topic will be "What The Church Means to Me—Past, Present and Future."

The Canal Point Methodist Church will observe World Day of Prayer with a special program on Friday, Feb. 29th, at 7:30 p. m. in the Church Sanctuary. The program is in charge of Mrs. Frank Wilson and those taking part include Mrs. James Roy, Mrs. Clifford Stuart, Mrs. A. R. Harrington.

ton, Mrs. Pope Sears, Mrs. William Johnson, Mrs. Boyd Vorhees, Rev. Roy.

Streets Seeking Place On RR Board

Peaslee Streets, Mayor of Lake Park, Fla., announced today that he will seek the Democratic candidacy for the Florida Railroad and Public Utilities Commission on a platform of ridding that body of its present position as "a mere rubber stamp for the communications and power companies."

Mr. Streets defied the Commission, or any individual member, to refute his charge and offered to prove it in debate with his opponent, the commission chairman, who is endeavoring to succeed himself this year.

"Never since its creation has this all-important public body made such uncommon deservice to the public so common a prac-



tice," Mr. Streets said in his statement of candidacy.

"I am a businessman, Mayor of the town of Lake Park, and fairly well known throughout the state in civic and political circles," he continued. "As such, I realize the necessity of a reasonable return on capital investment, the necessity for integrity in public office, and the need for concrete proof of such a charge as I am making."

Citing recent telephone rate increases, Mr. Streets said there seemed to be lacking among the people of Florida "a sharp realization of what the actions of the present commission are costing them."

Mr. Streets, a Mason, is 44, and father of two daughters, Naoma, 8, and Karen 6. They and his wife, the former Mildred Richards, reside at Lake Park. He is a member of the American Federation of Labor, Building Trades, and among his civic and fraternal activities are the Lions Club, of which he is State Publicity Chairman, and from which he has received the State Wide Achievement Award; the Boy Scouts, of which he is institutional representative, and the Order of Ahepa.

He is also a director of the Riviera Beach Chamber of Commerce, a member of the Florida Peace Officers Association, the State Fireman's Association, a director of Florida State Civil Defense, chairman of the Inland Waterways Committee of the Palm Beach County Resources Board, a member of the Auxiliary of the Flotilla, advisor to the Youth Conservation Program of the Fish and Game Commission, State of Florida, and has recently resigned as Supervisor of the Florida State Motor Vehicle Commission, District Nine. During World War II Mr. Streets served for four years with the Army Engineers in the civilian capacity of Maintenance Engineer.

Charles F. Johnson and the University of Miami Marine Laboratory recently showed where a bluefin tuna, originally an eighth of an inch long, will grow into a 640-pound fish.

Argument Pro And —

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conditions may account for the many vacancies. Also the building of low-rent housing units that meet government specifications would tend to improve the living standards of the entire Negro section. Also because of inadequate housing facilities for farm labor, local growers during the height of the vegetable season face a serious labor shortage and are forced to send trucks daily to and from East Coast agricultural communities to pick up labor for the harvesting of crops, and the building of the new low-rent units attractive to tenants would greatly alleviate this situation. The long haul of labor to and from other communities is an added burden of expense to the grower and hurts local merchants, it was pointed out.

Speaking for the project were Roy Vandegriff, Sr., and E. L. Pope, local growers; Mayor Lewis Friend; Mrs. Don Hillier, former social worker; Mrs. Hilda Jensen and Mrs. Helen Larrimore, health department workers; Leonard Dobrow, Mrs. Frank Friend, Mrs. Malcolm Millar, Mrs. Sam McKinstry, Sr., and other civic club representatives.

Speaking in opposition to the project were Dr. L. W. Armstrong, A. J. Gamot, W. A. Keen, Julian Chandler and other property owners.

After two hours of discussion

among the 60 persons present at the open meeting, the Council voted to adjourn until a later date, to be announced, when the discussion will be concluded and action taken.

It was reported that in the meantime Wiley Tillis, who was ill and unable to attend the meeting, will contact the other rental property owners to see if the group can agree on working out a definite program to improve living conditions in the Negro section.

Several Mishaps By Visiting Motorists

Slippery roads in this section of the Everglades was the cause of several accidents over the weekend resulting in injuries to several persons.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles J. Collins of Orlando, suffered injuries when their car started sliding on the S. Lucie Canal bridge in Fort Mayaca and crashed into a roadside tree. Both were hospitalized at the Everglades Memorial Hospital in Pahokee.

Albert Dean Lindsey of Troy, Mo. was traveling at an excessive rate of speed on State Rd. 15 and failed to make Dead Man's curve between Pahokee and Belle Glade. His car swung from one side of the road to the other for a distance of 300 feet before it finally crashed into a roadside tree. Lindsey escaped uninjured.

Vera Denpy of Donelson, Tenn.,

suffered chest injuries when her car crossed the center line of State Road 25 and sideswiped a car driven by Audrey Rossow of St. Petersburg. The Denny car rolled over twice before righting itself.

Charles Sears, student at the University of Florida, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Sears, in Canal Point.

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